



Dear Parents

## **Sports Report from Mrs Anderson**

On Wednesday 2 teams of Year 5 and 6 pupils went to Spalding High school to take part in this year's school games Bee Netball tournament. With 8 teams taking part from 4 different schools, the day was split into two parts with 4 teams playing everyone in their group in the morning. Westfield played extremely well, losing only 1 match between them. This meant that they came first and second in their groups, playing each other in the semi-finals after lunch.

Westfield Purples proved to be too strong for Westfield Greens who put up a strong and very competitively played performance. Westfield Greens then played Elsea Park's 'A' team in the bronze medal game. They fought very hard, coming a very respectful 4<sup>th</sup> overall. Westfield Purples played Thurlby in the final putting in a solid performance winning 6/0. Securing a place in the county finals to be held in Skegness on the 21<sup>st</sup> May.

Well done to all the pupils; they were a credit to Westfield. It was a pleasure to take them and watch them grow in confidence throughout the event. For many it was there first-time playing netball against other teams and representing Westfield at a sports event. If anyone would like to play more netball outside of school, the local club trains at Witham Hall Preparatory School on Wednesday nights, 6-7pm. They welcome pupils from Years 5 and 6.

## **School Information**

### **Our Stars**

A huge 'congratulations' to our special stars this week. To achieve this award children have tried very hard to excel in an area of their learning or behaviour. Our stars this week are:

Reception	Colby	Darcey	Henry	
Year 1	All of Year 1 for their amazing assemblies			
Year 2	Iris	Elsie	Mila	
Year 3	Finley	Jacob	Ava	
Year 4	Colby	Theo	Olivia	Alex
Year 5	Rex	Eira-May	Arthur	
Year 6	All of Year 6 for a very successful assessment week			

### **Attendance**

Congratulations to the following classes who were winners for the week commencing 2<sup>nd</sup> March:

Gold Trophy - Miss Sawyer's Class (97.8%)	Silver Trophy - Mrs Knight's Class (97.7%)
Attendance Ted - Mrs Chatham's Class (97.8%)	Miss Binder's Class (97.7%)

### **Year 5 Parent Assembly - Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March**

As previously advertised, Year 5 are due to welcome you to their assembly on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March. We would ask that a **maximum of 2 people attend per family**. The assembly will be approximately 20-30 minutes and is an opportunity for children to share the work they have been doing this year. Parents should enter school via the middle infant door only - at the front of the school - the door will be opened at 2:20pm.

## **Year 2 - Multi-sports/Dance Festival**

Children in Year 2 will be walking to Bourne Grammar School on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March at 9am to take part in Multiskills with the Year 11 pupils. They will be returning to school in time for lunch around 12noon. If you are able to help walk with us and back, please speak to your child's teacher.

## **Parent Afternoon Tea - 26<sup>th</sup> March, at 2.00 p.m. Togetherness Group information**

We are pleased to be able to give more details on our new Togetherness Group that will be starting in school after Easter. Previously known as the Solihull Approach, it offers suggestions on ways to support your child with emotional regulation, reducing anxiety and building resilience. We will be chatting informally about the weekly session headings for this group and hope you can join us to find out more!

## **Reminder - Class Photographs (Reception to Year 6)**

The school photographer will be visiting on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** to take class photographs. If your child was absent for the individual photographs in the Autumn term, please let Miss Tite know at the school office and she will arrange for their individual photograph to be taken on the day.

## **Scholastic Book Fair**

Thank you to everyone who supported our Scholastic Book Fair this year. We are absolutely delighted to report that your support has enabled us to achieve £1082 in free books for the school.

## **Reminder - Comic Relief**

A reminder that we will be supporting Comic Relief on **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March**. On this day children may come to school in uniform with a red accessory or a red/Comic Relief t-shirt (with uniform) in exchange for a £1 contribution to Comic Relief payable via MCAS. Please keep an eye out for the MCAS message to pay your donation. If you are unable to make a donation or wish to make a donation on behalf of your family rather than an individual child, that is absolutely fine; your child can still come with a red accessory or red/Comic Relief t-shirt. Please note we are a cashless school so any contributions must be made via MCAS - thank you.

## **Friends of Westfield - Follow us on Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/FriendsWestfieldBourne>**

A big thank you to everyone who supported this week's Mother's Day (Someone Special) Sale. We served around 500 children in our pop-up shop on Wednesday, plus we left stock with the super office and nursery teams for the rest of the week. We will tell you the final count next week. It was lovely to see all the children choosing their cards & gifts - we wish you all a lovely and hopefully restful Sunday!

We'd also like you to join us in saying a huge thank you to all the FOW volunteers who organised the sale, set it up on Tues and gave up their time to run it on Wednesday. It is a real team effort with lots of lovely Mummies volunteering their time for this event. Becky took the lead on organising & shopping; we are sure you will all agree she did a cracking job with some lovely thoughtful gifts.

**The Book Shack is now open!** We are delighted to announce that the Book Shack is now open for everyone in the school community to use. You can find the Book Shack just inside the main school gate. We'd like to say a massive thank you to Dom Brister and the team at the Don't Lose Hope Community Shed, for all their hard work and creativity building the Book Shack for us. We really appreciate their support and this lovely donation for us all to enjoy. You do not need to make a swap to take a book, but we do encourage you to donate any books you no longer want. Please ensure only age-appropriate children's books are placed in the Book Shack - no adult books thank you. Please also keep the book shack tidy, how you would like to find it and don't forget to shut the doors after making your selection. We hope everyone will enjoy this lovely new free resource, happy reading...

## **Bourne Westfield School Lottery**

Congratulations to *Mr Mantaleris* - who kindly donated their winnings back to us - thank you, was the winner of the school lottery last week.

The winnings increase as more people join - if you want to join for just £1 per ticket per week and have a chance of winning the weekly draw, then please go to [www.yourschoollottery.co.uk](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk), search for Bourne Westfield and follow the on screen instructions.



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**EDAN Lincs Domestic Abuse Service** 01522 510041 <https://edanlincs.org.uk/>

Providing support and assistance to men, women and children suffering, or fleeing from domestic abuse in Lincolnshire

**Healthy Minds Lincolnshire** <https://www.lpft.nhs.uk/young-people/lincolnshire/young-people/i-need-more-help/healthy-minds-lincolnshire#>

Providing support and treatment for children, young people and their families, who are experiencing emotional wellbeing difficulties.

**Place2be** <https://www.place2be.org.uk/>

Place2Be is a children's mental health charity working with pupils, families and staff in UK schools.

**MIND** <https://www.mind.org.uk/> 0300 123 3393

Providing support for people living with a mental health problem or supporting someone with a mental health problem.

**Family lives** <https://www.familylives.org.uk/> 0808 800 2222

Providing early intervention and crisis support to families.